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**Subject:** Gold King Mine Site: Rain today creating muddy, turbid creek/river conditions

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen – I am currently assisting with operations at the Durango Incident Command Post in conjunction with the Gold King Mine Release Incident. The EPA Mine Site Team reported this morning that there is rain in the area which could create muddy and turbid water quality conditions in Cement Creek and the Animas River. This is not related to any operations at the mine site, just the rain event.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with questions or concerns. Thank you for your assistance!

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